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## AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please Amend the Specification as follows:

**Page 3, lines 16-18; (paragraph [0010] of the published application)**

Typically,  $R_1$  is methyl, ethyl, *n*-propyl, ~~2,2,2-trifluoromethyl~~ 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl, cyanomethyl, acetyl methyl, methoxycarbonylmethyl, methoxycarbonylethyl, hydroxymethyl, hydroxyethyl. Ethyl is a preferred value of  $R_1$ .

**Page 5, lines 5-15; (paragraph [0018] of the published application)**

In another aspect, the invention provides a compound of the general formula (1) wherein X, Y and Z are all chloro or methyl, or X and Z are both chloro or bromo and Y is H or methyl, or X and Z are both methyl or methoxy and Y is H, chloro, bromo or alkylthio, or X is methoxy, Y is H and Z is cyano or chloro, or X is methyl, Y is H and Z is ethyl, or X is chloro, bromo or trifluoromethyl and both Y and Z are H;  $R_1$  is methyl, ethyl, *n*-propyl, ~~2,2,2-trifluoromethyl~~ 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl, cyanomethyl, acetyl methyl, methoxycarbonylmethyl, methoxycarbonylethyl, hydroxymethyl or hydroxyethyl;  $R_2$  is H;  $R_3$  and  $R_4$  are both methyl; and  $R_5$  is hydroxymethyl, methoxymethyl, 1-methoxyethyl, *tert*-butyldimethylsiloxyethyl, 3-chloropropyl, 3-cyanopropyl, 3-methoxypropyl, 3-(1,2,4-triazol-1-yl)propyl, 3-methylthiopropyl, 3-methanesulphonylpropyl or 3-methanesulphonylpropyl. Preferably  $R_1$  is ethyl. Preferably  $R_5$  is methoxymethyl or 3-cyanopropyl.

**Page 10, lines 13-19; (paragraph [0023] of the published application)**

Table 4 consists of 134 compounds of the general formula (1), where  $R_1$  is 2,2,2-trifluoromethyl,  $R_2$  is hydrogen,  $R_3$  and  $R_4$  are both methyl,  $R_5$  is hydroxymethyl and X, Y and Z have the values listed in Table 1. Thus compound 1 of Table 4 is the same as compound 1 of Table 1 except that in compound 1 of Table 4  $R_1$  is ~~2,2,2-trifluoromethyl~~ 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl instead of ethyl. Similarly, compounds 2 to 134 of Table 4 are the same as compounds 2 to 134 of Table 1, respectively, except that in the compounds of Table 4  $R_1$  is ~~2,2,2-trifluoromethyl~~ 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl instead of ethyl.

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**Page 12, line 28 – Page 13, line 2; (paragraph [0033] of the published application)**

Table 14 consists of 134 compounds of the general formula (1), where  $R_1$  ~~2,2,2-trifluoromethyl~~  
2,2,2-trifluoroethyl,  $R_2$  is hydrogen,  $R_3$  and  $R_4$  are both methyl,  $R_5$  is methoxymethyl and X, Y and Z have the values listed in Table 1. Thus compound 1 of Table 14 is the same as compound 1 of Table 4 except that in compound 1 of Table 14  $R_5$  is methoxymethyl instead of hydroxymethyl. Similarly, compounds 2 to 134 of Table 14 are the same as compounds 2 to 134 of Table 4, respectively, except that in the compounds of Table 14  $R_5$  is methoxymethyl instead of hydroxymethyl.

**Page 15, lines 12-18; (paragraph [0043] of the published application)**

Table 24 consists of 134 compounds of the general formula (1), where  $R_1$  ~~2,2,2-trifluoromethyl~~  
2,2,2-trifluoroethyl,  $R_2$  is hydrogen,  $R_3$  and  $R_4$  are both methyl,  $R_5$  is *tert*-butyldimethylsilyloxymethyl and X, Y and Z have the values listed in Table 1. Thus compound 1 of Table 24 is the same as compound 1 of Table 4 except that in compound 1 of Table 24  $R_5$  is *tert*-butyldimethylsilyloxymethyl instead of hydroxymethyl. Similarly, compounds 2 to 134 of Table 24 are the same as compounds 2 to 134 of Table 4, respectively, except that in the compounds of Table 24  $R_5$  is *tert*-butyldimethylsilyloxymethyl instead of hydroxymethyl.

**Page 17, line 30 – Page 18, line 3; (paragraph [0053] of the published application)**

Table 34 consists of 134 compounds of the general formula (1), where  $R_1$  ~~2,2,2-trifluoromethyl~~  
2,2,2-trifluoroethyl,  $R_2$  is hydrogen,  $R_3$  and  $R_4$  are both methyl,  $R_5$  is 1-methoxyethyl and X, Y and Z have the values listed in Table 1. Thus compound 1 of Table 34 is the same as compound 1 of Table 4 except that in compound 1 of Table 34  $R_5$  is 1-methoxyethyl instead of hydroxymethyl. Similarly, compounds 2 to 134 of Table 34 are the same as compounds 2 to 134 of Table 4, respectively, except that in the compounds of Table 34  $R_5$  is 1-methoxyethyl instead of hydroxymethyl.

**Page 20, line 12-18; (paragraph [0063] of the published application)**

Table 44 consists of 134 compounds of the general formula (1), where  $R_1$  ~~2,2,2-trifluoromethyl~~  
2,2,2-trifluoroethyl,  $R_2$  is hydrogen,  $R_3$  and  $R_4$  are both methyl,  $R_5$  is 3-cyanopropyl and X, Y and Z have the values listed in Table 1. Thus compound 1 of Table 44 is the same as compound 1 of Table 4 except that in compound 1 of Table 44  $R_5$  is 3-cyanopropyl instead of hydroxymethyl. Similarly, compounds 2 to 134 of Table 44 are the same as compounds 2 to 134 of Table 4, respectively, except that in the compounds of Table 44  $R_5$  is 3-cyanopropyl instead of hydroxymethyl.

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